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Senate Bill 392

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[Introduced January 27, 2016;

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization;

and then to Committee on Finance.]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,
 2 designated §18-2-16b, relating to transferring Cedar Lakes Camp and Conference Center
 3 from the West Virginia Board of Education to the Department of Agriculture.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

1 That the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new
 2 section, designated §18-2-16b, to read as follows:

ARTICLE 2. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**§18-2-16b. State camp and conference center; property transferred; powers and duties of
 Commissioner of Agriculture.**

1 Effective July 1, 2016, the state camp and conference center, known as the Cedar Lakes
 2 Camp and Conference Center and its facilities, authorized to be owned and operated by the West
 3 Virginia Board of Education under sections sixteen and sixteen-a, article two, chapter eighteen of
 4 this code is transferred to the Department of Agriculture. All real and personal property held by
 5 the West Virginia Board of Education, including all operating funds for the operations of the camp
 6 and conference center, and all employees of the West Virginia Board of Education primarily
 7 dedicated to those operations, are transferred to the Department of Agriculture. The
 8 Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture is given all those powers, duties and
 9 responsibilities relating to the state camp and conference center previously vested in the West
 10 Virginia Board of Education and its Division of Vocational Education.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to transfer the Cedar Lakes Camp and Conference Center from the West Virginia Board of Education to the Department of Agriculture.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.